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Applicant(s): Toshiki TAYA, et al.
Filing Date: May 29, 2001
For: OLIGONUCLEOTIDES AND METHOD FOR
DETECTION OF MECA GENE OF
METHICILLIN-RESISTANT STAPHYLOCOCCUS AUREUS
Group Art Unit: 1634
Examiner: Juliet Caroline Switzer

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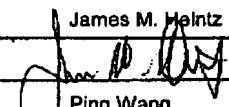
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TITLE OF INVENTION:

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